

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN THE APPLICATION OF: Dennis O. Betway      GROUP: 3652  
U. S. SERIAL NO: 10/848,868      EXAMINER: Lowe, Michael S.  
FILING DATE: May 18, 2004  
FOR: Device and Method for Manually Carrying a Load

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La Crosse, Wisconsin  
June 25, 2005

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 5, 2005. The applicant requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments to the claims and reconsider the application in view of these amendments and the applicant's remarks.